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ANNUAL MEETING-OPEN HOUSE

All members of the Upper Rogue Historical Society are urged to attend the annual meeting on September 20 at 10:30. There will be election of officers and board members and an overview of the year's work.

The annual meeting should be over quickly, because the old-time fiddlers are scheduled to start entertaining at 11:00. They will be on stage at intervals throughout the rest of the day. At noon, we will have a Community potluck and then open house in the afternoon. We hope you will come, meet us and your other neighbors, do some visiting and story swapping, and enjoy some good music.

Membership

There has been a change in the membership year. Your time for renewal is now by the year from the month you joined, rather than at the beginning of our fiscal year. This makes it less burdensome for our treasurer in making out and mailing cards. It also gives you a full year of membership for your first year's dues!

Youth Activities

Our Friday morning youth activities have been fun, though lightly attended. Our activities have included washing on a board, making quilt designs, candle dipping, working on our family tree, and old-time fun and games. Now we are thinking about school time activities.

Thanks

We wish to give two big 'thank yous' for extraordinary assistance toward our opening of the museum.

Barbara Hegne and the Eagle Point Historical Society were especially helpful with encouragement , advice and some useful donations.

One of our members has given an extraordinary amount of time and expertise in bringing in and setting up displays. Thank you, Erlene Thomson.

We would also like to thank Marjorie Eden and Joyce Hailika for their help and encouragement.

Curator

Barbara Fry, our curator, brings a number of talents to the job. First is her interest in all aspects of managing a museum. She has been visiting other museums over the state and gathering information about how other facilities about our size are handled. Her organizational skills have been developed over 20 years of working in the schools, with the forms that go with special programs. And probably most important, she has spent her life in the area and knows something about most of us!

See you September 20!